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2017 GLOBAL FEST

West Lafayette, IN—Global Fest 2017 will rock the streets on Saturday, Sept. 16, 2017, with extended hours—12pm-10pm—and an impressive lineup of International and local performers! Everyone is invited to this family friendly cultural event featuring International foods, cultural booths, merchant tables, and more. Admission is free and open to the public.

This annual event, co-hosted by the International Center of West Lafayette and the City of West Lafayette with support from Purdue Convocations and Friends of Bob Live Music Co-Op, will return to Chauncey and Columbia Streets between Morton Center and the West Lafayette Public Library from Noon to 10:00pm.

More than 20 vendors have signed on to present food and cultural items for sale, including crafts from the Sahara, Indian food by Sharma's Kitchen, L-Kora Fast Food Truck from Mexico, wood-fired pizza from Styx N Stones, demos by Lafayette Lacemakers, African food, paper art, calligraphy, gourmet popcorn, henna art, baked goods from Scones & Doilies, origami demonstrations, Morton Potters (in Morton Center), and much more.

In addition, the entertainment planned for the Center Stage promises visitors a glimpse of the diverse culture that we enjoy in West Lafayette and the surrounding area. For more information please check out convocations.org/globalfest

GLOBAL FEST SCHEDULE (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

MAINSTAGE / 12:45PM-10PM / OUTSIDE AT CHAUNCEY AND COLUMBIA

12:45pm-1:30pm Tatvam—Indian Fusion band

2pm-2:15pm Black Voices of Inspiration- Purdue Black Cultural Center

3pm-4pm Clave Caribe- Latin

4pm Mayor John Dennis- Afternoon Greeting

4:45pm-6pm German Lopez *The Canary Islands*

7pm-8:15pm Pascuala Ilabaca y Fauna *Chile*

8:45pm-10pm Delgres *France*

2ND STAGE / 12:30pm-7pm / INSIDE THE MORTON CENTER

12:30pm- 1:00pm St Boniface Yotzin Dancers

1:30 pm-2pm BTCCGL Traditional Indian Dance

2:15pm-3:15pm CIPPAT Traditional Chinese Dance

4pm-4:45pm McGovern Ceili Irish Step Dance

6pm-7pm Purdue Argentine Tango Club Milonga

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